



#### **State Water Resources Control Board**

Division of Drinking Water

August 25, 2015

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Eagle Lake RV Park 687-125 Palmetto Way Susanville, CA 96130

Attention: Mike Arnold, Owner

Regarding: Public Water System No. 1800801-Transmittal of Citation No. 01-02-15(C)-015

The State Water Resources Control Board, Division of Drinking Water, has issued Eagle Lake RV Park the attached citation.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Sandi Tenney at (530) 224-4876 or me at (530) 224-4800.

Michael J. McNamara, P.E.

Lassen District Engineer

Drinking Water Field Operations Branch

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**Enclosures** 

cc: Richard Hinrichs, P.E. Chief – Northern California Section, DDW, Redding Lassen County Environmental Health Director

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#### STATE OF CALIFORNIA 1 2 STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD 3 **DIVISION OF DRINKING WATER** 4 5 To: Eagle Lake RV Park 6 687-125 Palmetto Way 7 Susanville, CA 96130 8 9 Attention: Mike Arnold, Owner 10 11 12 CITATION FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, 13 TITLE 22, SECTION 64423 - WATER SYSTEM NO. 1800801 14 CITATION NO. 01-02-15(C)015 15 Issued on August 25, 2015 16 California Health and Safety Code, Section 116650 authorizes the issuance of a 17 18 citation to a public water system for violation of the California Safe Drinking Water Act 19 (Health and Safety Code, Division 104, Part 12, Chapter 4, commencing with Section 116270) (hereinafter "California SDWA"), or any regulation, standard, permit, or order 20 21 issued or adopted thereunder. 22 23 The State Water Resources Control Board (hereinafter "Board"), acting by and 24 through its Division of Drinking Water (hereinafter "Division") and the Deputy Director 25 for the Division (hereinafter "Deputy Director"), hereby issues a citation to Eagle Lake RV Park (hereinafter "Park"), located in Susanville, for violation of California Code of 26

Regulations (hereinafter "CCR"), Title 22, Section 64423.

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# APPLICABLE AUTHORITIES California SDWA, Section 116650 provides:

- (a) If the Division determines that a public water system is in violation of this chapter or any regulation, permit, standard, citation, or order issued or adopted thereunder, the Division may issue a citation to the public water system. The citation shall be served upon the public water system personally or by certified mail. Service shall be deemed effective as of the date of personal service or the date of receipt of the certified mail. If a person to whom a citation is directed refuses to accept delivery of the certified mail, the date of service shall be deemed to be the date of mailing.
- (b) Each citation shall be in writing and shall describe the nature of the violation or violations, including a reference to the statutory provision, standard, order, citation, permit, or regulation alleged to have been violated.
- (c) A citation may specify a date for elimination or correction of the condition constituting the violation.
- (d) A citation may include the assessment of a penalty as specified in subdivision (e).
- (e) The Division may assess a penalty in an amount not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per day for each day that a violation occurred, and for each day that a violation continues to occur. A separate penalty may be assessed for each violation.

# CCR, Title 22, Section 64423(a) provides in relevant part:

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(a) Each water supplier shall collect routine bacteriological water samples as follows:

(3) The minimum number of samples for transient-noncommunity water systems using groundwater and serving 1000 or fewer persons a month shall be one in each calendar quarter during which the system provides water to the public.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The Park operates a transient noncommunity water system located adjacent to Eagle Lake, near Susanville, California. The system serves 59 RV sites, three park models, a mobile home, a house, a studio apartment, two wood tents, five tent spaces, a recreation center, a picnic area, and a store. The system is capable of serving a transient population of approximately 200. The owner reports that the average population is approximately 35. The water system includes two active groundwater wells, Well 01 and Well 02, which operate during the summer season, approximately May through October.

Because the system is operated with Well 01 serving one pressure zone and Well 02 serving a second upper pressure zone, with the two pressure zones separated by a normally closed valve, the Park is required to take two routine bacteriological water samples per quarter. The Park opened for the summer in May 2015, but did not collect the required quarterly bacteriological samples until August 5, 2015. The two August 5, 2015, sample results are absent for total coliform.

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| 1                                | DETERMINATION  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| 2                                | The Division has determined that the Park violated CCR, Title 22, Section 64423 in   |
| 3                                | that the Park failed to obtain collect the required routine samples upon opening during  |
| 4                                | the second quarter of 2015.  |
| 5                                |  |
| 6                                | DIRECTIVES   |
| 7                                | The Park is hereby directed to take the following actions:   |
| 8                                |  |
| 9                                | 1. Comply with CCR, Title 22, Section 64423 in all future monitoring periods.  |
| 10                               |  |
| 11                               | 2. By September 30, 2015, provide public notification by distributing Attachment   |
| 12                               | 'A' to customers by the following methods:   |
| 13                               | a. Publication in a local newspaper, and   |
| 14                               | b. Posting, for at least seven days, in conspicuous public places within the   |
| 15                               | service area.  |
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| 17                               | 3. By October 10, 2015, a representative of the Park shall complete the enclosed   |
| 18                               | Attachment 'B' and return it to the Department. A copy of the notice that was  |
| 19                               | distributed must be included with the form.  |
| 20                               |  |
| 21                               | All documents required by this citation shall be submitted to the Division to the  |
| 22                               | following address:   |
| 23<br>24<br>25<br>26<br>27<br>28 | Michael J. McNamara, P. E. Lassen District Engineer State Water Resources Control Board Division of Drinking Water 364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 101 Redding, CA 96002 |



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Nothing in this citation relieves the Park of its obligation to meet the requirements of the California SDWA, or any regulation, permit, standard or order issued or adopted thereunder.

The Division reserves the right to make such modifications to this citation, as it may deem necessary to protect public health and safety. Such modifications may be issued as amendments to this citation and shall be effective upon issuance.

#### **PARTIES BOUND**

This citation shall apply to and be binding upon the Park, its officers, directors, shareholders, agents, employees, contractors, successors, and assignees.

#### **SEVERABILITY**

The Directives of this citation are severable, and the Park shall comply with each and every provision thereof, notwithstanding the effectiveness of any other provision.

#### **FURTHER ENFORCEMENT ACTION**

The California SDWA authorizes the Board to: issue citations with assessment of administrative penalties to a public water system for violation or continued violation of the requirements of the California SDWA or any regulation, permit, standard, citation, or order issued or adopted thereunder including, but not limited to, failure to correct a violation identified in a citation or compliance order. The California SDWA also authorizes the Board to take action to suspend or revoke a permit that has been issued to a public water system if the system has violated applicable law or regulations or has failed to comply with an order of the Board; and to petition the



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superior court to take various enforcement measures against a public water system that has failed to comply with an order of the Board. The Board does not waive any further enforcement action by issuance of this citation.

August 25, 2015

Date



Michael J. McNamara, Lassen District Engineer Northern California Section Division of Drinking Water State Water Resources Control Board

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre su agua potable.

Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

# Monitoring Requirements not met for Eagle Lake RV Park during 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2015

Our water system recently failed to monitor drinking water in accordance with the standard. Although this is not an emergency, as our customers, you have a right to know what happened and what we did to correct this situation.

We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not our drinking water meets health standards. During the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter (April – June) 2015 we did not monitor for coliform bacteria and, therefore, cannot be sure of the quality of our drinking water during that time.

#### **What This Means**

There is nothing you need to do at this time. The table below lists the contaminant we did not sample for, how often we are supposed to sample for it, how many samples we are supposed to take, how many samples we took, when samples should have been taken, and the date on which the samples were taken.

| Contaminant       | Required sampling frequency | Number of samples required | Number of samples taken | When sample<br>should have<br>been taken | When sample<br>was taken |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Coliform Bacteria | 2 samples per quarter       | 2                          | 0                       | May 2015                                 | August 5, 2015           |

# Steps We Are Taking

As shown in the last column of the table above, we have taken the required samples for the third quarter (July – September) 2015. The third quarter sample results show we are meeting drinking water standards.

# For more information please contact:

Mike Arnold

Owner

(209) 770-0045

Sandi Tenney Division of Drinking Water

(530) 224-4876

This notice is being provided to you by Eagle Lake RV Park in compliance with the Domestic Water Quality and Monitoring Regulations, as a means of keeping the public informed.

# **Certification of Completion of Public Notification**

This form when completed and returned to the State Water Resources Control Board Division of Drinking Water (364 Knollcrest Drive, Suite 101, Redding, CA 96002 or fax to 530-224-4844), serves as certification that public notification to water users was completed as required by the California Code of Regulations relating to drinking water. Completing public notification and providing the Division with certification is important. Failure to do so will result in additional hourly time charges to your water utility and may result in a formal enforcement action with monetary penalties.

| Public Water System Name _   | Eagle Lake RV Park   |  |
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| Public Water System No   | 1800801  |  |
| Public notification for failure to m bacteriological standards. (check and   | onitor drinking water in accordance with complete those that apply): | the  |
| The notice was published in the A copy of the newspaper notice               | local newspaper onis attached.                                       |  |
| The notice was mailed to users A copy of the notice is attached.             | on   | · · · · · ·                                  |
| The notice hand delivered to wa<br>A copy of the notice is attached.         | ter customers on   | <u>.                                    </u> |
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